## 15 November 1951

Mr. John Fischer Harper & Brothers 49 East 33rd Street New York 16, New York

Dear Mr. Fischer:

General Smith has asked me to acknowledge your letter of November 12, 1951, in which you request information concerning the activities of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, who states he was attached to SEAEF during World War II.

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It will not be possible for General Smith to do this since he does not have detailed records pertaining to the operational activities of SHAEF. Furthermore, it is entirely possible that if \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ engaged in the operations he alleges, any background material pertaining thereto would still be classified. However, I suggest you get in touch with the Historical Section, Office of the Chief of Staff, Department of the Army, who may be able to give you some assistance.

I regret we are unable to furnish the information you request.

Sincerely,

assistant to the Director

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